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SUBJECT: RESULTS OF BLUE LANTERN CHECK ON LICENSE 05-1006800

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- 11. Per reftel, Post conducted inquiries to verify the bona fides of SATS Security Services Pte. Ltd.
- 12. SATS Security Services Pte. Ltd. is a limited private company that has been operating in Singapore since November 17, 1989. Singapore's online business directory, Biznet, lists the company's principle officers as:

Name: LIM Cheng Yueh, a.k.a Andrew Lim

Nationality: Singaporean

ID: S0090479A

Address: 163D Upper East Coast Road, Singapore, 455264

Name: Denis Suresh Kumar MARIE

Nationality: Singaporean

ID: S1534340J

Address: 961 Hougang Avenue 9, #03-578, Singapore, 530961

- 13. DHS/ICE databases revealed no negative information about SATS Security Services.
- 14. SATS Security Services (SSS) is a subsidiary of Singapore Airport Terminal Services, which is a subsidiary of Singapore Airlines, Singapore's national carrier. SSS provides armed security services to approximately 40 airlines at Changi International Airport, according to Jasmie Ong, SSS's Head of Manpower, Administration, and Logistics. The Singapore Police Force (SPF) reported that it has a close relationship with SSS; a SPF Superintendent is seconded to SSS as Commandant of its Auxiliary Police Force.
- 15. Singapore Customs confirmed that SSS was issued a valid import certificate for .38 caliber ammunition on June 15, 12006. SSS's Ong stated that all ammunition is stored at a guarded facility near the airport. Ong assured Econoff that the company maintained detailed records and understood the restrictions on USML items.
- $\P5$. In our assessment, SSS is a reliable recipient of USML items. HERBOLD